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TITLE Design Method For WDM Optical Networks Including Alternate Routes For Fault Recovery

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Specification
12 Informal Sheets of drawings
1 Assignment with Cover Sheet
Declaration and Power of Attorney
Information Disclosure Statement

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Total Claims	24 - 20 =	4	x \$18 =	\$72
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Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable			+ \$270 =	\$0
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